Medical and other practitioners who wish to possess the abovementioned drugs for use in the exercise of their profession, but not for sale, will be required to take out a license, and will be permitted to possess half an ounce, and in special cases, such larger quantity as may be fixed by the Excise Commissioner in Mysore. The license will be issued by Deputy Commissioners after obtaining the sanction of the Excise Commissioner, free of fee.

III. The provisions relating to Cocaine and Novo caine, in Excise Commissioner's Notification No. 1769, dated 20th August 1909, are deleted.

NOTE.—The term "authorised medical practitioner" means all graduates in Medicine of the Indian Universities and of all Universities in Europe and America; all medical practitioners (including dentists) eligible for registration on the Medical Register of Great Britain; and all holders of Military Assistant Surgeons, Civil Apothecaries or 'Sub-Assistant Surgeons' diplomas who are in Government, Local Fund or Municipal service or who have been declared to be authorised by orders (1) of the Excise Commissioner in Mysore in the Bangalore City and (2) of the Deputy Commissioner in consultation with the District Medical and Sanitary Officer in other places.

M. KANTARAJ URS,
Excise Commissioner,

FOREST DEPARTMENT.

FOREST DEPARTMENT EXAMINATION.

Notification No. 5255, dated 2nd—3rd January 1913.

It is hereby notified that the Departmental Examination in the Forest Department Code, Accounts and Rules will be held as prescribed in Article 40 of the Forest Department Code on Monday the 27th January 1913.

2. Forest Officers and subordinates who wish to sit for the examination should intimate the fact to this office through their respective District Forest Officers on or before the 22nd instant.

M. MUTHANNAH,
Conservator of Forests.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

Notification D. No. 27, dated 18th January 1913.

EXAMINATION FOR HIGHER NORMAL CERTIFICATES.

The following Regulations of the Examination for the award of Higher Normal Certificates shall come into force from 1913:—

1. The Examination shall consist of two parts (i) a Written Examination and (ii) a Practical Test, and shall be conducted in English.

2. The Examination shall be open to all who, besides possessing the minimum educational qualifications, have either (1) gone through the full training course of a recognized Normal School and have been permitted by the Headmaster to appear for the Examination, or (2) been teachers in a recognized Anglo-Vernacular School for at least three years, and an Inspecting Officer has certified that their work as teachers has been fairly satisfactory.

3. Candidates for admission shall produce a certificate from a person of known respectability, stating that they are above fifteen years and under twenty-five years; if they have not been already Teachers in a Government, Municipal, or Aided School; or under 35 years if they have been employed for not less than three years continuously as teachers in a Government Municipal or Aided School.

4. The minimum educational qualifications required for admission to the Examination shall be as follows:—

The candidate should have passed the Matriculation Examination or should produce, from the Headmaster of a recognized High School, a certificate to the effect that he has attained that standard.

5. The Written Examination shall be held in the Normal School at Mysore in the month of March. (The exact date will be notified each year.)